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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ENRG, OPEC

SUBJECT: DEMARCHES TO OPEC ON OIL PRICE QUESTION

REF: STATE 271013, STATE 267884(NOTAL)

1. IF YOU BELIEVE IT USEFUL, ACTION POSTS MAY PASS
SUBSTANCE OF ITEM 10 (ENCOURAGING RESULTS OF US DEMARCHE
ON OPEC OIL PRICES) IN CURRENT FOREIGN RELATIONS, ISSUE
NO. 46, NOVEMBER 16, 1977 TO APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS IN
YOUR HOST GOVERNMENT. YOU MAY ALSO CONFIRM REPORTED
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WHEN HE SAID THAT HIS COUNTRY WOULD ACTIVELY WORK AGAINST
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